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1. SEVEN-PAGE STATEMENT, ISSUED BY US "MINUTES" AFTER
COMMUNIST DELEGATES WALKED OUT OF C-F MEETINGS OVER
DIPLOMATIC PRIVILEGES ISSUE, MAKES "UNUSUALLY STRONG
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ATTACK" ON NVN (CHITRIB). US ACCUSES NVN AND NLF
OF REFUSING TO HONOR C-F AND TRYING TO CONQUER SVN
BY FORCE; SAYS GVN HAS BEEN READY TO MAKE C-F EFFECTIVE.
STRONGLY-WORDED STATEMENT CONDEMNS HANOI FOR CONTINUING

TO SHIP MASSIVE QUANTITIES OF WAR MATERIALS AND THOUSANDS OF TROOPS INTO SVN IN "OBVIOUS VIOLATION" OF C-F (CSM; AP WP, NYT). UPI SAYS BLISTERING US STATEMENT BLAMES COMMUNISTS FOR LACK OF PROGRESS IN SEARCHES FOR MIAS AND FOR VN PEACE AND ACCUSES THEM OF HAVING PROPAGANDA AS SOLE PURPOSE. QUOTES SAIGON POLITICAL OBSERVERS THAT RELEASE IS STRONGEST ANTI-COMMUNIST DOCUMENT ISSUED BY US SINCE C-F (PHINQ).

2. GVN POLICE BLOCK ACCESS TO CHURCH WHERE GROUP OF 300 RC PRIESTS CALLED PRESS CONFERENCE TO PROTEST "EXTORTION, INJUSTICE AND SOCIAL VICE" IN SVN. PRIESTS SAY GOVERNMENT "MAFIA" HOARDS RICE, FERTILIZER, INSECTICIDES, RAW MATERIALS AND MEDICINES TO CHEAT PEOPLE AND ENRICH

SELVES; CLAIM MANY DYING OF HUNGER IN CENTRAL VN; CALL ON FAITHFUL TO BACK EFFORTS TO CLEAN UP SOCIETY (AFP, NYPOST 6/18).

3. GVN NATL PETROLEUM BOARD NOTIFIES MARATHON OIL SUBSIDIARY, OPERATOR FOR GROUP THAT INCLUDES SUN OIL AND AMERADA HESS, THAT IT IS SUCCESSFUL BIDDER FOR CONCESSION OF BLOCK IN SOUTH CHINA SEA. GRANT AWAITS SIGNING OF AGREEMENT (JOC).

4. GKR MIL COMMAND SAYS 300 COMMUNISTS KIA BY LARGE GOVT FORCE IN BATTLE ELEVEN MILES NORTH OF CAPITAL. REBELS FIRE ROCKETS INTO PP, KILL TWO (UPI, PHINQ).

5. SHIPER (NYT) FROM SAIGON IN BALANCED ARTICLE ON WAR IN CAMBODIA, DESCRIBES GKR AS SLIPPING ECONOMICALLY AND MILITARILY, ATTRIBUTES ITS SURVIVAL TO WEAKNESS OF INSURGENTS. CHARACTERIZES WAR AS HAVING NO VICTORIES OR DEFEATS, JUST SLOW, UNRELENTING DETERIORATION IN GKR'S MIL, ECON, POLITICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL FACETS. POINTS OUT THAT BY CONTINUED EXISTENCE GKR DEFIES PROGNOSTICATIONS OF LAST AUGUST THAT IT COULD NOT UNCLASSIFIED

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SURVIVE WITHOUT US BOMBING AND PUTS END TO PREDICTIONS OF IMMINENT COMMUNIST TAKE-OVER. SEES RECORD OF ENDING DRY SEASON AS SLIPPAGE FOR GKR AND DISAPPOINTMENT FOR INSURGENTS; QUOTES DIPLOMATIC OBSERVER THAT OTHER SIDE NOT STRONG ENOUGH TO WIN AND THIS SIDE NOT FEEBLE ENOUGH TO LOSE.

MILITARILY, REBELS CUT PP'S HIGHWAY LINKS BUT HAVE NOT STOPPED MEKONG TRAFFIC, AND MISMANAGED SOME OFFENSIVES. ECONOMICALLY, INSURGENTS SQUEEZE CAPITAL SO COST OF LIVING SOARS AND CORRUPTION SPREADS, BUT CITY STILL GOES ABOUT BUSINESS. POLITICALLY, GKR IS TORN BY INTERNAL DISSENT, BUT MIL ARE REAL POWER AND NOT "ESPECIALLY

RESTIVE" UNDER LON NOL. PSYCHOLOGICALLY, COMMUNIST-LED TROOPS HAVE DEMORALIZED, BUT NOT PANICKED, PP.

SHIPLER SEES GKR REDUCED TO DEFENSIVE STRATEGY, WHICH IRRITATES FOREIGN MIL WHO THINK ONLY OFFENSIVE WILL MAKE REBELS NEGOTIATE. REVIEWS REBEL DRY SEASON PUSHES THAT HESITATINGLY STRUCK AT PP, KOMPONG THOM, PREY VENG, AND KAMPOT, BUT FIZZLED DUE TO LACK OF COORDINATION AND INCOMPETENCE. CAPTURE OF OUDONG BY INSURGENTS MOSTLY OF SYMBOLIC IMPORTANCE. QUOTES OFFICIAL THAT ENEMY EXPECTED COLLAPSE SINCE CORRUPT GKR "READY TO DIE" IN MARXIST SENSE. MOST ANALYSTS BELIEVE REBEL INABILITY TO CUT MEKONG LIFE-LINE IS MAJOR FAILURE. SOME US

OFFICIALS CREDIT GKR SURVIVAL TO "NEW-FOUND" MIL SKILL, BUT NON-AMERICANS DON'T AGREE. BOTH SIDES GET BE EFIT OF US MIL AID: GKR GETS DELIVERIES, AND REBELS CAPTURE ARMS (INCLUDING PERHAPS 42 105MM GUNS OF WHICH MAYBE 20 WORK) AND RECEIVE WEAPONS PARADROPPED BY USAF - FROM HIGH ALTITUDE TO AVOID AIRCRAFT LOSS - THAT DRIFT OUTSIDE GKR AREAS. ONE OFFICIAL OBSERVES THAT ABOUT 45 PERCENT OF DROPS MADE FROM HIGH ALTITUDES FALL INTO REBEL HANDS. SHIPLER CITES CUTTING ROUTES 4 (TO KOMPONG SOM) AND 5 (TO BATTAMBANG) AS MOST IMPORTANT REBEL GAINS IN DRY SEASON, SAYS FEW MIL MEN THINK GKR CAN REOPEN THEM. US POLICY IS "ONE OF THE FEW CONSTANTS," AND UNDER AMB. DEAN IT IS TO NURTURE, PROD AND CAJOLE GKR INTO POSITION OF STRENGTH TO DENY VICTORY TO REBELS AND MAKE THEM UNCLASSIFIED

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NEGOTIATE. LONG BORET SAYS GKR CAN DEAL WITH ENEMY WITHOUT US INTERVENTION, IS FATALISTIC ABOUT NEGOTIATIONS SINCE HE BELIEVES THEY DEPEND UPON ATTITUDES OF CHINA AND NVN.

CHINA

6. NCNA CONFIRMS THAT PRC CARRIED OUT NUCLEAR TEST MONDAY, BUT SAYS AIM WAS STRICTLY FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES. ANNOUNCEMENT GIVES NO DETAILS, ONLY THAT DEVICE WAS SUCCESSFULLY EXPLODED IN WESTERN PART OF CHINA (REUTER, SUN; UPI, NYDN).

7. REUTER (PEKING) OBSERVES THAT IN FIRST INDICATION OF ANY REACTION BY PEKING AUTHORITIES TO SPATE OF WALL POSTERS IN CITY DURING PAST WEEK, TWO PEKING FACTORY WORKERS NOW CHARGE (IN BIG-CHARACTER POSTER IN WANG FU CHING STREET) THAT CITY AUTHORITIES HAVE TRIED TO DEFUSE CURRENT WAVE OF POSTERS CRITICAL OF CITY COUNCIL. WORKERS CONTEND THEY HAD EARLIER PUT UP POSTER SUPPORTING CRITICS OF AUTHORITIES, AND THAT THEY HAD THEN BEEN VISITED BY CITY COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES WHO HAD TRIED TO SUPPRESS WORKERS'

CRITICISM. OBSERVERS NOTE THAT OFFICIAL RESPONSE TO POSTERS APPEARS RUNNING AT TWO DISTINCT LEVELS: GENERAL CRITICISMS OF AUTHORITIES FOR THEIR ALLEGEDLY INCORRECT HANDLING OF MASS MOVEMENT ARE EVIDENTLY BEING DEALT WITH BY DISCUSSION AND PERSUASION; BUT TEARING DOWN OF POSTERS ATTACKING POLITBURO MEMBER HUA KUO-FENG BY NAME LESS THAN 24 HOURS AFTER THEIR APPEARANCE LAST WEEKEND SEEMED TO SHOW THAT CRITICISM OF HIGH-RANKING INDIVIDUALS IS NOT TO BE TOLERATED.

8. CHINESE MONDAY TEST (AND FRANCE'S) DREW PROTESTS FROM AUSTRALIA, INDONESIA AND JAPAN. AUSSIE LONGSHOREMEN VOTE TO RESUME BOYCOTT OF FRENCH SHIPS, BUT DECIDE NOT TO PROTEST PRC NUCLEAR TEST (WP).

9. JOC'S STRAUSS, IN HK, REPORTS PRC IS ABOUT TO EQUAL, "INDEED, MAY ALREADY HAVE EQUALLED," BRITISH STEEL PRODUCTION. SAYS EVENT WILL HAVE IMPORTANT PROPAGANDA VALUE AND CONSIDERABLE DOMESTIC IMPACT. MORE SURPRISING THAN COMPARATIVELY SHORT TIME CHINA TOOK TO MOVE INTO UNCLASSIFIED

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CLASS OF TOP STEEL PRODUCERS IS FACT THAT PRC ECONOMISTS PREDICTED BREAKTHROUGH 16 YEARS AGO.

KOREA

10. AP SEOUL REPORTS ACCUSATION BY KOREAN CULTURAL PROPERTY PRESERVATION ASSN. THAT FORMER US DIPLOMAT GREGORY HENDERSON, NOW AT TUFTS U, TOOK SK NATIONAL TREASURES WORTH SEVERAL MILLION DOLLARS OUT OF COUNTRY; ASSN. DECLARES IT WILL APPEAL FOR THEIR RETURN. HENDERSON CITED AS DENYING WRONGDOING AND SAYING CHARGES ARE POLITICALLY MOTIVATED; TELLS BOSTON GLOBE (6/19) THAT HE AND WIFE "LEGALLY AND OPENLY" COLLECTED KOREAN CERAMICS, MOSTLY WHILE FSO IN SEOUL. AP REPORT SAYS HENDERSON WAS PNG'D BY ROKG IN 1963; NOTES HE HAD BEEN GENERALLY CRITICAL OF GOVT. AFTER PARK COUP, AND RECENTLY HAS BEEN AMONG AMERICANS ASKING THAT KIM TAE-CHUNG BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE SEOUL AND TAKE HARVARD FELLOWSHIP. (WP; CSM).

JAPAN

11. NYT'S HALLORAN IN TOKYO REPORTS THAT WHILE ONODA HAS NOT YET MADE PUBLIC HIS CHANGE OF ATTITUDE, HE HAS TOLD HIS CLOSE ASSOCIATES HE THINKS HE WAS FOOL TO HAVE STAYED IN PHIL JUNGLE FOR 30 YEARS. ONODA SIGNED \$160,000 CONTRACT FOR H MEMOIRS ,;" LY AFTER HIS RETURN AND IS COMPLETING 12-PART MAGAZINE SERIES AND BOOK ON HIS EXPERIENCES FOR LEADING PUBLISHER.

HALLORAN ALSO REPORTS THAT ONODA MET WITH PHILIPPINES'

WEST MINDORO GOV. VILLAROZA ON JUNE 18. GOV. IN JAPAN AT GOJ INVITATION AND WEST MINDORO INCLUDES LUBANG ISLAND WHERE ONODA HID. VILLAROZA SAID HE TRIED DURING TWO-HOUR CONVERSATION WITH ONODA TO VERIFY WHETHER ONODA HAD COMMITTED ATROCITIES THAT HAVE BEEN CHARGED TO HIM. GOV. SAID THAT INTERPRETER FURNISHED BY GOJ HAD DECLINED TO TRANSLATE QUESTIONS TO ONODA. VILLAROZA SAID HE HAD BEEN PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN CASE OF AN UNCLE WHO WAS VICTIM. VILLAROZA SAID ONODA MIGHT NOT HAVE COMMITTED THE MURDERS INCE THERE WAS SOME REASON TO BELIEVE UNCLASSIFIED

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FILS FROM LUZON HAD GONE TO LUBANG TO RUSTLE CATTLE. HE

SAID THEY MAY HAVE SOUGHT TO HAVE BLAME FOR THEIR CRIMES PUT ON ONODA AND HIS MEN.

12. PEARLSTINE IN WSJ REPORTS JAPAN'S BIGGEST CORPORATE COLLAPSE SINCE WWII IS BECOMING SCANDAL, FORCING REASSESSMENT AMONG FOREIGN INVESTORS ABOUT STABILITY AND HONESTY OF ALL JAPANESE FIRMS. CITES INVESTIGATION OF REPORTS OF MASSIVE FRAUD IN NIHON NETSUGAKU'S COLLAPSE. INTERNATIONAL REPUTATIONS OF YAMAICHI SECURITIES CO., UNDERWRITER OF FALLEN FIRM AND ONE OF JAPAN'S LARGEST BROKERAGE HOUSES, AND OF SMALLER OSAKA FIRM HAVE BEEN TARNISHED AS WELL. FEARED THAT COLLAPSE MAY HAVE DAMAGED CREDIT RATINGS FOR OTHER JAPANESE FIRMS, WHICH GENERALLY HAVE LOANS OUTSTANDING FAR IN EXCESS OF THEIR EQUITY. ISAO NAKAUCHI, PRESIDENT OF JAPAN'S LARGEST RETAIL FIRM, SAYS COLLAPSE "CERTAINLY DESTROYED INTERNATIONAL TRUST...BUILT UP OVER THE PAST 10-20 YEARS, AND IT WILL TAKE SOME TIME FOR US TO REGAIN IT." COLLAPSE HAS LED TO QUESTIONING OF JAPAN'S METHODS FOR REGULATING SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS, DEPENDENT MAINLY ON GOVT MORAL SUASION OVER JAPAN'S FOUR LARGEST BROKERAGE HOUSES.

COMMENT AND ANALYSIS

CHINA

13. SUN'S ED WU (IN HK) NOTES PRC POLITICAL CAMPAIGN TAKING NEW TURN. LATEST DEVELOPMENT IS APPEARANCE OF PEKING WALL POSTERS OPENLY CRITICIZING CITY'S REVOLUTIONARY COMMITTEE AND POLITBURO MEMBER; PREVIOUS RESTRICTIONS AGAINST FOREIGN DIPLOMATS AND NEWSMEN VIEWING AND PHOTOGRAPHING POSTERS ALSO REMOVED. RECALLS THAT WHEN CAMPAIGN WAS LAUNCHED IN JAN, DECLARED AIM WAS TO CRITICIZE LIN PIAO AND CONFUCIUS. CAMPAIGN UNFOLDED WITH FURY REMINISCENT OF GPCR, BUT RESTRAINTS WERE IMPOSED FROM ABOVE TO AVOID REPETITION OF SOME GPCR EXCESSES NOW ATTRIBUTED TO CLASS ENEMIES. MASSES WERE ORDERED TO

REFRAIN FROM CRITICIZING LEADERS BY NAME AND POSTERS
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WENT UP. INITIALLY, POSTERS DEALT WITH REPUDIATING
PERNICIOUS INFLUENCE OF LIN AND CONFUCIUS. THEN NEW
ELEMENT OF CRITICISM ENTERED. PEOPLE THOUGHT TO BE COOL
TOWARD CAMPAIGN ALSO WERE CRITICIZED. IN MANY CASES
CRITICISMS WERE TRACED BACK TO GPCR YEARS FOR SETTling
OLD SCORES. TAKING ADVANTAGE OF APPARENT CONFUSION OVER
LIN'S GPCR ROLE (HIS PREVIOUS ULTRA-LEFT ROLE IS NOW
TERMED ULTRA-RIGHT), "REBEL" FACTION MEMBERS WHO LOST
IN THEIR CONTEST WITH RIVAL GROUPS IN LATE 1960S ARE NOW
MOST VOCAL. THEY HAVE VERBALLY ATTACKED FACTORY MANAGERS,

PARTY OFFICIALS, MIL COMMANDERS, PROVINCE CHIEFS AND
TWO POLITBURO MEMBERS - LI TEH-SHENG AND HUA KUO-FENG.
POSTERS CRITICIZING PEKING REVOLUTIONARY COMMITTEE ALSO
INDICATE FACTIONAL STRIFE.

POSTER CRITICISM BY NAME PERMITTED IN OPEN, BUT MOST
CRITICIZED OFFICIALS DO NOT APPEAR AFFECTED. ACCORDING
WESTERN NEWS AGENCY REPORTS FROM PEKING, THEY ARE STILL
CARRYING ON DUTIES AS USUAL. QUOTING CHINESE SOURCES
IN CAPITAL, THESE REPORTS SAY IT IS WRONG TO COMPARE
PRESENT STAGE OF CAMPAIGN WITH EARLY PHASES OF GPCR,
WHEN MASS CRITICISM ACCOMPANIED WHOLESALe SUSPENSION
OF PARTY AND ADMIN OFFICIALS. OFFICIAL CHINESE MEDIA
ALWAYS HAVE MAINTAINED THAT PRESENT CAMPAIGN IS
CONTINUATION OF CULTURAL REVOLUTION, NOT SEPARATE MOVEMENT.
MEDIA ALSO PERSISTENTLY WARNED AGAINST BOURGEOIS
FACTIONALISM - EVIDENCE THAT FACTIONAL RIVALRY HAS
NOT BEEN ERADICATED.

14. STANLEY KARNOW REVIEWS DOAK BARNETT'S "UNCERTAIN
PASSAGE: CHINA'S TRANSITION TO THE POST-MAO ERA"
(WP). SAYS BOOK OFFERS NO DRAMATIC FORECASTS, BUT
PRESENTS RANGE OF PLAUSIBLE FUTURES. CITES BARNETT
AS SAYING REALITY OF MOMENT IS THAT CHINA IS
MANAGED BY GROUP OF VERY OLD MEN, AND IS ABOUT TO
ENTER TRANSITIONAL PHASE AS THEY DIE. IF CIVILIAN
CCP APPARATUS CONTINUES TO ASSERT ITSELF, AS IT HAS
IN RATHER ZIGAGGING FASHION SINCE END OF GPCR,
TRANSITION COULD BE RATHER SMOOTH. BUT BARNETT
SUGGESTS THAT VIOLENT DOMESTIC STRUGGLE FOR POWER
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MAY PROMPT ARMY TO PLAY MORE DOMINANT ROLE, AS IT DID
WHEN SITUATION GOT OUT OF HAND 6 OR 7 YEARS AGO.

BARNETT SUBMITS IT ALSO POSSIBLE THAT CONFLICTS OVER

ECON DEVELOPMENT MAY ARISE. THERE ARE THOSE WHO WILL ADVOCATE GREATER EMPHASIS ON TECHNOLOGY AND EXPERTISE, AND, IF RECENT HISTORY IS ANY GUIDE, THEY WILL BE OPPOSED BY GROUPS PARTIAL TO STRONGER FOCUS ON COLLECTIVISM AND REDUCTION OF MATERIAL INCENTIVES.

UNTIL NOW CHINESE HAVE NOT DISPLAYED TALENT FOR COMPROMISE. BUT, IN FACE OF LIMITED RESOURCES AND GALLOPING POPULATION GROWTH, THEY MAY FIND THEY CANNOT AFFORD KIND OF EPISODES THAT HAVE SO FAR CATAPULTED THEM INTO INTERNAL UPHEAVALS.

BIGGEST THREAT WOULD BE WAR WITH USSR. KARNOW AGREES

WITH BARNETT THAT THERE IS LITTLE REASON TO BELIEVE AT PRESENT SUCH ERUPTION IS INEVITABLE OR EVEN LIKELY. BUT BARNETT ESTIMATES DANGER WILL PROBABLY BE AT ITS HEIGHT DURING SUCCESSION TO MAO. BARNETT RECOMMENDS US DO ITS UTMOST TO AVOID EXACERBATING SINO-RUSSIAN TENSIONS. AND, FOR SAKE OF ITS OWN TIES WITH CHINA, IT OUGHT TO STRESS ITS DETERMINATION TO MAINTAIN GOOD RELATIONS WITH WHICHEVER GROUP EMERGES IN PEKING.

JAPAN

15. CSM'S POND IN TOKYO REPORTS JAPAN GOING TO LOS CONFERENCE PREFERRING STATUS QUO BUT WILLING TO COMPROMISE WITH DEMANDS OF COASTAL DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. SAYS AS ISLAND NATION DEPENDENT ON IMPORTS OF OIL AND FOOD OVER OPEN SHIPPING LANES, JAPAN WOULD LIKE TO SEE TERRITORIAL WATERS HELD DOWN TO PRESENT 3-MILE LIIT INSTEAD OF INCREASED TO 12 MILES - WITH NATIONALIZING OF SOME 115 INTERNATIONAL STRAITS THIS WOULD ENTAIL. JAPAN WOULD ALSO LIKE TO PREVENT ACCEPTANCE OF IDEA OF EXCLUSIVE ECON CONTROL BY COASTAL STATE OF SEA AND SEABED RESOURCES UP TO 200 MILES OFFSHORE. HOWEVER, JAPAN SEES TIDE OF INTERNATIONAL OPNION HAS UNCLASSIFIED

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RUN TOWARD 12-MILE TERRITORIAL LIMIT AND 200-MILE ECON LIMIT. EVEN US AND USSR ARE PREPARED TO ACCEDE TO THESE LIMITS IN SOME FORM, AND JAPAN DOES NOT WANT TO BE "ISOLATED" IN WORLD.

JAPAN WILL TRY TO PRESERVE AS MUCH ACCESS TO SEA AS IT CAN UNDER 12-AND 200-MILE EXPANSIONS. SO FAR AS NAVIGATION OF STRAITS IS CONCERNED, JAPAN HAS NOT YET DEFINED ITS POSITION IN PUBLIC. WITH NO NAVY OF ITS OWN OUTSIDE COASTAL WATERS, JAPAN COULD BE SATISFIED WITH RIGHTS OF INNOCENT PASSAGE THAT WOULD EXCLUDE NAVAL VESSELS BUT WOULD ALLOW JAPAN'S OIL TANKERS AND OTHER CARGO BOATS TO CONTINUE USING MALACCA AND LOMBOK TRAITS.

EXCLUSION OF US NAVAL VESSELS FROM STRAITS UNDER 24 MILES WIDE COULD CRAMP US NAVY IN ANY DEFENSE OF JAPAN, HOWEVER.

IN FISHING, JAPAN WILL TRY TO INCREASE ITS OWN COASTAL FISHING AND WILL ALSO SEEK SPECIAL ACCESS TO ANY ECON ZONES THAT MAY BE AGREED IN CARACAS. JAPANESE OFFICIALS ESTIMATE THAT ADOPTION OF 200-MILE ECON ZONE WOULD REDUCE JAPAN'S ANNUAL FISH CATCH OF MORE THAN 10 MILLION TONS BY 40 PERCENT.

IN DEVELOPMENT OF SEABED RESOURCES, JAPAN WOULD LIKE TO WORK COOPERATIVELY, PROVIDING EQUIPMENT AND KNOW-HOW FOR JOINT EXPLOITATION.

16. CSM'S OKA IN TOKYO WRITES FEATURE ARTICLE ON JAPAN'S QUEST FOR RESOURCES. FINDS JAPANESE HAVE BROKEN SCARCITY BARRIER - FOR THEMSELVES, BUT ARE JUST BEGINNING TO DISCOVER THAT THEY CANNOT REACH ABUNDANCE WITHOUT CERTAIN ROOMINESS OF SPIRIT. OKA MADE COMMENT IN CONTEXT OF DEMAND BY MINERAL SUPPLYING COUNTRIES THAT RESOURCES NOT BE TAKEN FROM THEIR LANDS IN RAW STATE, BUT WITH INCREASING DEGREES OF PROCESSING, SO AS TO MAXIMIZE BOTH EMPLOYMENT AND PROFIT FOR THEMSELVES. CITES INTERNATIONAL EXPERTS THAT CONTRADICTION BETWEEN ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT, RESOURCES AND GROWTH, CANNOT BE SOLVED IN PURELY NATIONAL OR EVEN BILATERAL CONTEXT, AND THAT LIP SERVICE TO INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION MUST BE MADE

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CONCRETE AND SPECIFIC - OTHERWISE PRODUCERS AND CONSUMERS ARE LIKELY TO SINK TOGETHER. QUOTES MITSUI MANAGING DIRECTOR MACHIDA THAT, "IT'S ALREADY OUT OF DATE FOR A COMPANY EMPLOYEE TO THINK HE IS WORKING FOR THE COMPANY, OR EVEN FOR JAPAN. IN OUR BUSINESS, WE HAVE GOT TO THINK IN TERMS OF WORKIN FOR THE WORLD. THIS IS OT IDEALISTIC FLUFF, IT'S HARD COMMON SENSE. IN THIS DAY AND AGE, WE ARE NOT SERVING INTERESTS OF OUR OWN COMPANY UNLESS WE ARE WORKING FOR THE NTERESTS OF MANKIND." KISSINGER

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